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On 8/5/74, an individual who identified himself as DAN CASOLARO, telephonically contacted SA JOHN A. RUHL and advised that he is a free lance writer and author who resides at 11626 Pine Tree Drive, Fairfax, Virginia, telephone 273-7614.

CASOLARO explained that he is developing the theory that HOWARD HUNT had "set-up" the Watergate Break-in in an effort to embarrass the White House. In his effort to encourage an investigation of this theory, he has been in touch with JAMES NEAL of the Watergate Special Prosecution Office and DONALD CAMPBELL, AUSA.

CASOLARO based his theory on two letters (of which he has copies) to the Democratic National Committee dated 3/23/72 and 4/28/72 predicting Watergate break-in type activity.

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CASOLARO ~~also~~ advised that since he has already been in touch with the SPC, it would be appropriate to furnish that office with any information pertinent to the Watergate investigation and related matters.

CASOLARO expressed interest in determining whether any investigation had been conducted to prove or disapprove his theories and he was informed that the FBI would not make a comment on an inquiry of this type which would relate to an ongoing investigation.